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By ECF

Hon. Barbara Moses
United States Magistrate Judge
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, New York 10007

MEMO ENDORSED

Re: *First Look Institute, Inc. and Travis Mannon v. U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement*, 21 Civ. 7052 (BCM)

Dear Judge Moses:

This Office represents U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (“ICE”) in the above-captioned action brought under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552 (“FOIA”). We write on behalf of all parties to provide a joint status update letter as required by the Court’s scheduling order and to seek an adjournment *sine die* of the conference currently scheduled for June 8, 2022, at 11 a.m. *See* ECF No. 28.

Since the last status report, the parties have resolved the merits of this matter and therefore believe that a conference is unnecessary. The only remaining issue is plaintiffs’ attorneys’ fees and costs. Plaintiffs have provided a fee request to ICE, and ICE is in the process of reviewing the request and authorizing a settlement amount. The parties are hopeful that they can resolve the fee matter without judicial intervention, in which case they would submit a stipulation and proposed order resolving the entire matter. Accordingly, the parties jointly propose either submitting such a stipulation and proposed order or another joint status update letter by July 1, 2022.

This is the parties’ third request for an adjournment of the status conference; the Court granted the prior requests. *See* ECF Nos. 25-28.

We thank the Court for its consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application GRANTED. The conference scheduled for June 8, 2022, is hereby ADJOURNED *sine die*. No later than **July 1, 2022**, the parties shall file either a stipulation of dismissal with prejudice for the Court to so-order or a joint status update letter in the event that the action is not yet fully resolved by then. SO ORDERED.



Barbara Moses
United States Magistrate Judge
June 3, 2022